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Re: Donn Reynolds Armstrong, et al.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final to be filed in the above application.

No additional fee is due.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment incident to the filing of this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 05-1060. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER §312

SIR:

Please amend the following claim:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 35, line 4, after the word "liquid", second occurrence, insert --alkaline--.

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Respectfully submitted,

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